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Municipality of Itogon

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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 27

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CREATING THE TASK FORCE KONTRA DENGUE, ZIKA, CHIKUNGUNYA AND JAPANESE ENCEPHALITIS

WHEREAS, there are reported cases of Aedes-borne viral diseases specifically Dengue within the Municipality of Itogon in the recent months. Likewise, there are other emerging mosquito-borne diseases such as Zika, Chikungunya and Japanese Encephalitis which cause threat to the municipality;

WHEREAS, through the concerted efforts of the Municipal Government through the Health Office, the different barangays and other government agencies, Municipality of Itogon has responded to the challenge posted by mosquito-borne diseases;

WHEREAS, to sustain the efforts undertaken to contain the spread of Dengue and other mosquito-borne diseases, a Task Force has to be created to facilitate the achievement of our goals;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ATTY. VICTORIO T. PALANGDAN, by virtue of the power vested in me as the Local Chief Executive of the Municipality of Itogon, Province of Benguet, do hereby create the Task Force Kontra Dengue, Zika, Chikungunya and Japanese Encephalitis as follows:

Section 1. Composition. The Task Force shall be composed of the following:

Chairman: **Atty. Victorio T. Palangdan**
Municipal Mayor

Co-Chairman: **Dr. Oliver P. Guadaña, MD**
Municipal Health Officer

Members:

Hon. Flordeliza G. Depayso,
SB Committee on Health

Hon. Dante Alain Xavier D. Godio
SB Committee on Finance, Budget &
Appropriation, Ways & Means & Investment

Hon. Noel Bilibli
Liga ng mga Barangay President

Dr. Marie Jorelyn P. Bahingawan, MD
Rural Health Physician

Dr. Alma A. Ged-ang, MD
Medical Officer IV
Chief of Itogon District Hospital

Ms. Grace O. Pocsol
MSWDO

Engr. Cyril L. Batcagan
MDRRO

Engr. Benigno B. Apidos
MENRO Designate

Mr. Edwin V. Carantes
Sanitation Inspector

Mr. Joseph A. Pacpaco
PSDS, Itogon District I

Mr. William D. Abance
PSDS, Itogon District II

Mr. Luis D. Igueldo
Secondary Schools Representative

P/Major Rommel P. Sawatang
Chief of Police - Itogon Municipal Police Station

SInsp. Jesus D. Yango
Bureau of Fire Protection

Ms. Cheryl Rose F. Cardenas
DILG-MLGOO

SN Aboitiz Power - Benguet Representative

Benguet Corporation Inc. Representative

All Barangay Health Workers

Section 2. Meeting. There shall be a quarterly meeting, every 3rd Friday of the month at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon. However, a special meeting may be called as the need arises.

Section 3. Secretariat. The Municipal Health Office (MHO) shall serve as the secretariat.

Section 4. Functions. The Task Force shall have the following functions:

- a. It shall coordinate all efforts to prevent the spread of dengue and other mosquito-borne diseases including the conduct of Information, Education and Communication Campaign (IEC);
- b. It shall formulate necessary policies to be carried out by the different barangays;
- c. It shall also adopt appropriate policies for monitoring and evaluation of all activities related to mosquito-borne diseases.

Section 5. Spokesperson. The Municipal Mayor and/or the Municipal Health Officer shall be the official spokesperson of the Task Force.

Section 6. Effectivity. This Administrative Order shall take effect immediately.

Issued this SEP 17 2019 at Itogon, Benguet, Philippines.


ATTY. VICTORIO T. PALANGDAN
Municipal Mayor

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- All concerned
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